Traffic Safety Advisory Committee

Council Chambers

Meeting Date: January 17, 2012

Time: 8:00 AM to 9:00 AM



Voting Members:

Agency Staff:

Nick Arnis Chair; Doug Koellermeier, City of Bend Fire Department; Mel Oberst, City of Bend Community Development Department; Cory Darling, City of Bend Police Department; Denice Blake, Bend La-Pine School District; Joel McCarroll (Dan Serpico), ODOT Region 4 Traffic Engineer.

Citizen Members:

Thomas Stump, Vice-Chair; Harold Anderson, Erik Huffman, Michael Toney, Rex Wolf

- 1. Welcome and Introductions
- 2. Approval of Minutes for November 29, 2011
- 3. Review Agenda
- 4. Comments from the Public 15 minutes

5. Rail Quiet Zone Discussion

Background: A group of citizens in SE Bend would like to implement three rail quiet zone projects in Bend at Reed Market, Country Club and China Hat. A meeting was held in July 1, 2010 with citizens, City staff, Oregon Department of Transportation, Burlington Northern, Old Farm NA, and the Federal Rail Division. Results of the meeting are included that includes possible projects and costs. Currently there are no quiet zone studies or projects in the Transportation Division work plan or Capital Improvement Program (CIP). The City will conduct a preliminary rail quiet zone analysis at the Reed Market crossing as part of the Transportation General Obligation Bond. The cost of this preliminary study is about \$14,000.

Attachments: SE Bend Quiet Zone Diagnostic Study (September 2010)

Requested Action: Receive information. Staff recommends including the quiet zone projects in the Transportation Capital Improvement priorities ranking process to determine if it is a priority. The ranking will occur in the coming months.

6. Arterial and Collector Safety Program Project

Background: The City has started a project to update the current method the City uses to evaluate and determine traffic safety projects currently in the Capital Improvement Program (CIP) that TSAC also recommends for projects. At the last TSAC meeting City staff and consultants reviewed the Project Charter and intent of the project. The focus of this project at this meeting in January is to review the last meeting discussion, review the benchmarking results and focus areas.

Attachments: Project Charter

Requested Action: Review and Sign Project Charter

- 7. Police/Enforcement Update and Information items
- 8. Citizen Service Requests from TSAC

Comments from Committee Members/Next Agenda item

Public Comments – Items added to Agenda

Next TSAC Meeting: February 21, 2012